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Re: Docket No. DN2001236

Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing a Patent Application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the Specification, including five (5) claim(s), five sheets of informal drawings, Declaration and Power of Attorney of David Ray Hubbell, Jr., Christopher Michael Smith and Michael David Kachner for **ASYMMETRIC MOLD TREAD CONTOUR**.

The filing fee is calculated as follows:

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Total number of claims in excess of 20, times \$18.00	0.00
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Please charge our deposit account No. 07-1725 in the amount of \$740.00 in payment of the filing fee. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required pursuant to 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 37 CFR 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to deposit account No. 07-1725. This letter is being submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,



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